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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL LETTER TO PRIME MINISTER FUKUDA

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF JANUARY 16, 1978 LETTER FROM
PRESIDENT CARTER TO PRIME MINISTER FUKUDA. SIGNED ORIGINAL
BEING FORWARDED BY POUCH.
2. BEGIN TEXT. DEAR MR. PRIME MINISTER, THANK YOU FOR
YOUR LETTER.
3. I SHARE YOUR PLEASURE AT THE OUTCOME OF THE TALKS BE-
TWEEN AMBASSADORS USHIBA AND STRAUSS. WE OWE THEM BOTH A
LARGE DEBT. THE AGREEMENT THAT THEY HAVE CONCLUDED UNDER-
LINES THE WILL AND ABILITY OF JAPAN AND THE UNITED STATES
TO COOPERATE CLOSELY IN PROMOTING A HEALTHY WORLD ECONOMY.
IT ALSO POINTS THE WAY TO FURTHER PROGRESS IN STRENGTHENING
TRADE BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES; AND I AM GLAD THAT IT INCLU-
DED PROVISION FOR FOLLOW-UP MEETINGS TO THIS END. I AM
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ESPECIALLY GRATEFUL FOR THE LARGE PERSONAL ROLE THAT YOU
PLAYED IN HELPING TO MAKE ALL THIS POSSIBLE.

4. I SHOULD BE DELIGHTED TO SEE YOU HERE, AS AMBASSADOR
TOGO HAS SUGGESTED, BEFORE THE SUMMIT. WE WILL BE IN
TOUCH WITH YOUR GOVERNMENT ABOUT POSSIBLE SPECIFIC DATES
THAT MIGHT BE MUTUALLY CONVENIENT.

5. I LOOK FORWARD TO CONTINUING CLOSE CONTACT BETWEEN US
IN ADVANCING MUTUALLY BENEFICIAL ECONOMIC RELATIONS
BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES. SINCERELY, JIMMY CARTER. END
TEXT. CHRISTOPHER

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